SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 298

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A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Thomas Earl "Tom" Call of Dresden.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the passing of Thomas Call; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Call was an exemplary public servant and consummate professional who worked assiduously to improve the quality of life for his fellow citizens in numerous capacities; and

WHEREAS, Tom Call served with acumen and alacrity as the owner of Standard Auto Supply, in which position he earned the respect of those in the community for the exemplary quality of his work; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Call was an active and devout member of Southside Church of Christ, which he served faithfully for many years; and

WHEREAS, Tom Call was also deeply devoted to his family, and he always endeavored to remain true to family values of the highest order; and

WHEREAS, he enjoyed the loving companionship of his wife, Lorene, and was the proud parent of Barry, Millie, and Jimmy (deceased); and

WHEREAS, Mr. Call will also be deeply missed by his brother, Robert; three grandchildren, Brittany, Erica, and Willow; and a host of other family, friends, and loved ones; and

WHEREAS, Tom Call leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors: and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that this General Assembly should pause to remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Thomas Earl Call, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Mr. Call.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.